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### LOCAL INDUSTRIES

#### Town Council Hears Plea For Sled-Way

At its regular meeting Monday night, the Town Council's attention was called by Mr. Harry Wood to the need for a definite place where children may use their sleds without endangering their lives or injuring lawns. Mr. Braden reported steps were being taken to provide such a place but that the current storm had caught the management unprepared. This entails a good deal of work leveling the ground set aside, which is by Block A.

Mr. Mabee pointed out that he and his men had realized the importance of the problem and had roped off two streets for sleighing as long as the ice on the streets remained satisfactory. Other provisions are being made as rapidly as possible. In the meantime parents and children are asked to be patient and to cooperate by not sliding on streets or lawns. The short pleasure involved is not worth the risk to life or the destruction of property.

Mr. Maurer questioned the Manager as to the possibility of providing an artificial skating rink. He was told that this would be considered but that it could hardly be hoped for.

The Manager reported that the school bus should be in operation within the coming week.

The Manager reported that a very attractive Town Cemetery was being laid out. Members of the Council approved the placing of a white picket fence about the plot set aside, and indicated the style of picket they preferred.

Mr. Vincent reported that he finds it possible to provide adequate liability insurance for the school bus. For reasons of safety, the Manager

### SURVEY TABLED

recommended that the bus be colored Ohio State Yellow (lemon). Council adopted this color as the official color for town machinery in general.

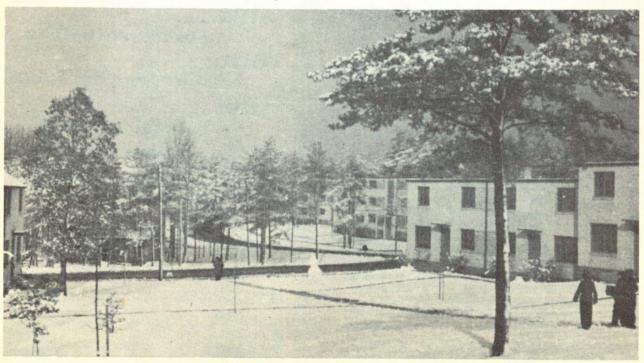
On recommendation of Mr. Maurer, Mr. East moved, and Mr. Bessemer seconded, that a 85 horse power pick-up truck be bought, instead of the 60 horse power truck as originally authorized.

Mr. Bessemer moved, Mrs. Taylor seconded, that the Manager be authorized to have gathered from Greenbelt land christmas trees and holly for use of Greenbelt citizens, for which a fee of 15 cents be charged per tree, and 10 cents per bunch of holly. Motion was unanimously carried.

Mr. Bessemer's resolution to authorize a survey of the possibilities of developing light industries in Greenbelt was given its second reading. The resolution called for the provision of \$10,000 for completion of the survey and was to be addressed to various official bodies.

Mr. East objected that as Farm Security owned the land, this was not properly a matter for town action. He further thought that use of \$10,000 for this purpose could not be justified. Mrs. Taylor questioned the value to Greenbelt citizens of industrial development. Mr. Maurer suggested that the resolution be addressed only to the Farm Security Administration and that the Town Manager be merely instructed to make such a survey (the \$10,000 figure being eliminated). This seemed to meet general approval, and the resolution was laid on the table pending revision.

Present were Councilmen Maurer, East, Bessemer, Morrison, Taylor, Manager Braden, Clerk McCamy, Engineer Vincent, and Director of Public Safety Mabee.



First White Thanksgiving In Greenbelt

# What Health Association Means To Greenbelt Residents

Frequently, the members of the Medical Board and other active members of the Health Association are asked what the Association is doing; whether there are complete physical examinations given; whether there is a hospital and many other similar questions. To answer every individual question with satisfaction is an impossible task and, for this reason, the Board would like to sum up the activities of the Health Association and present them to the people for consideration.

We may start with the premise that, since the Health Association physicians are the only doctors in Greenbelt, the Association is therefore trying to meet the community need for medical attention in and out of the Association. At present there are two doctors on full time basis. Both have general training and are capable of managing the ordinary illness with skill. To meet the demand of the sick patient, these doctors have regular hours at the Medical Center for those able to come to the office. In addition, they make home visits to see those who cannot come because of acute illness. These two functions are, in the ordinary sense of the word, the two cardinal duties of the general practicing physician, so that when we state this much we are covering all that the ordinary community of the size of Greenbelt offers. The doctors also conduct a private practice and have agreed to charge nominal fees for those who are not members of the Association .

In addition to the care of the sick, the doctors have also extended themselves and have formulated a Health Program for Greenbelt, which excels any we have seen in any other community the size of Greenbelt. This program consists of first giving the babies and children immunizations against contagious diseases. Such a task is especially important because of the many children here and the danger of spreading contagious diseases from one child to another. It is not necessary to point out that there could easily be a serious epidemic of one sort or another if the children were not thus cared for. The Immunization clinic is conducted once a week and many have already availed themselves of this vital service. Next, because babies have a way of getting sick if not cared for, there is a well baby clinic where children are weighed and checked to see that they remain in good health. Dr. Christensen who is also the Director of Public Health, sees that contagious diseases, as they develop, are properly diagnosed and the routine measures for checking their spread invoked. He also visits the grammar school and examines the children for any possible disease. This same service has been extended to the high school. In addition, there will be adult health examinations for the recreational classes to insure the health of the adult populace. The maternity service has also taken on a new aspect. In conjunction with the Health Department, the expectant mother enjoys all the advantages afforded by communities of much larger size. There are prenatal classes once a week in which she is instructed in the ordinary care of her person. The course of her pregnancy is checked. The doctor and nurse arrange, in advance, for home deliveries. For those who go to hospitals, the staff will help make arrangements for hospitalization with a view to both adequate care and reasonable expense. Several plans are possible for those who must go to an hospital, depending upon the circumstances. Should the problem

arise, you will find the Medical Center of tremendous help in advising you as to the easiest and the best plan for your immediate needs. The Association

has also sponsored a small hospital movement. Already several tensillectomies have been performed as well as countless other minor operations. Accidents and other emergencies are taken care of with due speed thru the facilities of the association. Many of the citizens already know of cases where the patient might have suffered more severely or died if it were not for the organization known as the Health Association. These are but a few of the functions of the Health Association. The Board will release others from time to time to anticipate and answer any questions relating thereto.

However, the success of the Association, the possibility of enlarging the service, the possibility of getting a hospital and all other Health problems depends ultimately on the people. If they will support the Association, the medical care will be far better than that of any other similar community. We already point with pride to what has been accomplished and do not believe that any other community of Greenbelt's size has as much to offer in the way of health facilities. The Board of the Health Association invites your serious consideration of its problems. It pledges itself to see that your health is guarded to the extent made possible by the citizenry's cooperation with the Association. The best method of promoting health is by joining the Association and making more services possible.



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#### Health Notes

Thomas A. Christensen, M. D.

#### RESPIRATORY DISEASES

The respiratory diseases include the common cold, grippe, influenza, pneumonia and also the disorders of the sinuses.

To the victim of any of these conditions, it is obviously the result of chilling or of overheating, of getting the feet wet or of doing one of a hundred other things.

To the bacteriologist the condition is due to the deleterious effect of a virus or a bacterium.

To the pathologist, the disease occurs because of certain alteration in the continuity of tissue.

This list may well be enlarged to include many other theories of cause. However, the clinician who deals not just with the virus or bacteria nor with damaged tissue, the respiratory disorder whether it be a cold or a pneumonia represents a harmful change in an individual's economy whereby the individual suffers and generally is emphatic in demanding relief whether the disease be an acute cold, an inflamed sinus or an acute pneumonia process.

While various statistics have been published regarding the morbidity rate due to the respiratory diseases, they are far from complete and the actual loss of time because of these diseases must be stag-

gering in amount.

For the past ten years or longer, various workers have tried numerous means of preventing these diseases including vitamins, ultra-violet rays, various medications, vaccines and countless other things. As a result of these studies there are two schools of thought on the subject; one which states that vitamins, vaccines and the like are of no value, and, the other that they are of definite value in many cases. Because of this disparity, the layman when he receives vaccines or takes medicine or ultra-violet treatment should realize that he may or may not be helped by the preventive treatment. If the treatment is not harmful, I feel that any reduction in the incidence of respiratory diseases is reason enough for trying to prevent them.

When a cold or other respiratory disease develops. it is then time to consider how best to limit its duration and make sure it does not spread. For those who treat their own colds, there are two simple rules to follow; namely, rest and isolation. By going to bed or resting at home, the body's defenses have a chance to organize themselves and fight the disease. The second rule of isolation is of utmost importance because the individual who does not mingle with others will not spread the disease. True enough, colds are so common and so many occur at the same time that everyone with a running nose or a feeling of fullness in the head cannot take time off from work. On the other hand, those with sore throats, coughs, or with copious discharge from the nose can stop work until the acute stage is over. Those with mild ones can protect others by not using the same drinking cups and by not coming into too intimate contact with others. Rigid application of these two rules would do much to lessen the incidence and

severity of colds.

To those who treat themselves for colds, a third rule is not to overdose with medicine because even the simplest of drugs sometimes has harmful results. For instance, aspirin, pyramidon, bromides, quinine derivatives, and coal tar products have all caused severe illnesses in susceptible individuals.

In all cases, where recovery is not prompt or where the patient becomes worse, it is in the interests of economy to secure adequate medical care at



# Rambling

By George F. Carnes

Boys, we want to apologize! We know now we've been pretty selfish — thinking about our own fun and recreation—trying to figure out some way to be big fish in this little pond — forgetting all about you — never giving a thought to you young fellows — you young fellows who haven't had anyone to get you a gym night, or organize you into some sort of unit so you could get together and do some of the useful, healthful things that we used to do when we could step down to the Y.M.C.A. and take a swim, or play a game of basketball, or wrestle, or play any one of the dozen games provided for cur amusement.

But you see, we just forgot for a few months that we were grown men --- forgot that we had already had our share of fun when we were young, --- forgot that our real responsibility was to see that the boys who followed us would get as much out of their youthful days as we did and make better citizens than we are. Yeah, I guess our sense of perspective was lost. Running all over town with resolutions, nominations, petty politics and grandiose ideas buzzing around in our head we just plumb forgot about you!

A fellow couldn't much blame you if you resorted to parked cars, lonely roads, pool rooms and roadside inns for your recreation. But you DIDN'T; you just hung around and waited for a while to see if the grown-ups were going to include you in their plans, and when things didn't seem to be breaking your way you did what any clean bunch of boys with guts would do. You formed YOUR OWN Athletic Club without asking any mans' help; then humbly, and not expecting much, you came around and asked for a little support in the paper. Well, you're going to get it, and here it is: GREENBELT BOYS REFUSE TO WAIT FOR SANTA CLAUS! ORGANIZE OWN JUNIOR ATHLETIC CLUB! COOPERATION WELCOMED BUT NOT EXPECTED! MEETING PLACE --- THE HOME OF ANY PARENT WHOSE CONSENT CAN BE OBTAINED.

Good luck, fellows! If you need any help and aren't too disgusted with us for letting you down as long as we have, just call on us. Most of us have decided by this time that we are too old and too dumb ever to be champion athletes; we've had our share of fun --- some time ago!



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once. The neglected bronchitis or pneumonia yields more slowly to treatment than the adequately treated case and, all things being equal, the death rate is higher in those neglected cases.



QUESTION: Cooperatives are supposed to have open books. Have we had them?

ANSWER:

Of course, we have not had a cooperative. but the accountant's quarterly reports of the operation of the Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc. are open to all who are interested, and especially to those who plan to invest in the cooperative here.

Financial reports are difficult to understand, and produce a state of bewilderment rather than a state of understanding, (except to the trained accountant). The average layman has to have some training to interpret a financial report.

In order to make these statements as clear as possible to residents of Greenbelt.the C.O.C. had Mr. Englander, the accountant who audits the books of G.C.S.I., explain them in a public meeting on Sunday, October 23. This meeting was publicized thru the front pages of the COOPERATOR and through notices sent to all homes in Greenbelt. Those who attended asked questions and learned something about how cooperative accounting differs from ordinary accounting. They seemed satisfied with the accountant's frankness.

The quarterly report - of which there is one copy - can be seen and studied by any one who will come to the offices of G.C.S. I. and ask for it. The C.O.C. members and the store managers have been studying it. Interested residents are urged to inspect it. After the cooperative is formed the members have free and ready access to the books of the organization.

JOURNALISTIC CLUB SOCIAL

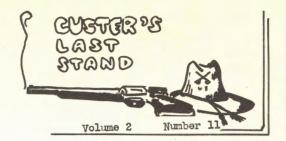
The regular month social of the Journalistic Club will be held next Wednesday evening, at 8:15 P.M. in the Meeting Room. Mrs. George Warner, chairman of the Recreation committee, is lining up a program that should give the Journalists and their guests a swell time.

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The half-hearted winter daylight faded quickly. Night settled down about Bill Jones' household, as it did over all Greenbelt.

Mary Jones' kitchen was already brightly lighted and full of the aromas of the cooking supper. Delightful warmth permeated the house.

Junior was sprawled on the living room floor, lost in the dim light, talking to himself about many things, as children will. His sister in her crib upstairs was quiet now, having just been fed.

Bill Jones comes home to such comfort as this. He comes in out of the bitter cold, where many of his fellow men have to stay.

At present he and his family are reasonably safe. Except for the usual hazards of living, he need not worry. He has a permanent civil service appointment, he is no Jew, and even if he were he is living in Greenbelt, in the United States - not in Hitlerland.

He is lucky. He might be a Jew in Germany. But he is one of those few chosen to live in Greenbelt. He is well taken care of.

He doesn't have to concern himself with the world's problems; or the nations; or the town's . When he comes home, he eats his supper, reads his paper, whiles away the evening pleasantly. He is a good father and a good husband, and a good neighbor, and he obeys all the laws.

But then so also lived the Germans whose very

lives are now being confiscated.

Bill Jones in Greenbelt has much more than a chance to live comfortably. He has the chance to demonstrate that democracies can provide for the multitudes as efficiently as dictators can, and without depriving them of their personalities, as dictators

By getting behind such things as the Health Association, the Credit Union, the Cooperative Stores, our Progressive Schools, Proportional Representation, the Citizens Association, our Town Management - by helping to give these enemies of dictatorship a fair chance to demonstrate their value, Bill and his neighbors can help to justify Greenbelt and to make it of real value to the whole world.

Howard C. Custer.



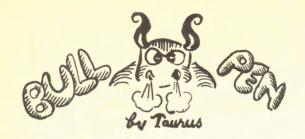
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THE BULL PEN

WILL IT SHOW? - The town cutting off traffic on Crescent Road to allow sledding for the youngsters. Will this official concern for their pleasure and safety draw a reaction by way of social cooperation in return? We wonder.

THE MODERN WONDERS - One one-lunger snowplow, and one ditto sweeper, big-as-a-minute each, but bulldozing the snow into oblivion under the none-too-strenuous guidance of a gang of fast walkers.

WHAT NO EASY CONSCIENCE? - Mr. Chamberlain, prime ministerer to the welfare of the central European social workers, has thanked Mr. "American Bottoms" Kennedy, our Ambassador,
for aiding in censoring a British newsreel
purporting to criticize that worthy English statesman.

What, Sir Neville, no sublime consciousness of effortless superiority?

SNOW USE TALKING - The blizzard which bluzz into town on Thursday nite and brought its own blanket for a nice long stay, looks as if it will freeze us out before we can get her thawed out.

YES, INDEED, MR. PRESIDENT - Mr. Roosevelt asks us to help fight infantile paralysis, which has our hearty endorsement. But can we hope to find a cure for that infantile paralysis of the brain which affects so many adults, especially in a certain community?

THAT RAGING FOREST FIRE - around Hollywood. Is it true
what we have been hearing, that the conflagration began when Mae West finally gave
in and donated a "No-Angel" embrace to our
friend, "heart-of-oak" Charlie McCarthy?

MR. COCKILL, PLEASE - Is it that famous "kick-in-the end-zone" of our national pastime that makes so many of our touchballers limp?



SHARE THE PROFIT - If "reeks with hate" Ickes, Mme.

Secretary Perkins, and W.P.A. Hopkins resign, will Greenland's icy strand accept a free gift of Rep. Dies plus 2 cases of boloney?

TS, TS, TS - Jelleff's hit a new low in ads in their page 13 insert in Saturday's Post.

### Poets' Corner

#### IN RETROSPECT

When I look back upon the chart of Time,
And see therein the map that is my Life,
Each year is colored like a different clime;
Each hue depicting joy, despair or strife.
I see uninteresting greys and somber blacks,
Delineated by the passing years.
Some tones are dulled by Time's ceaseless
attacks,

And some all streaked by long forgotten tears. But one bright year stands out in brilliant green,

Whose beauty dims the colors of the rest.
A lovely and transcendent hue and sheen
That will forever stand Time's harshest test.
And that's the year that we have spent out
here

And with the years may green alone appear.

L.B.Sawyer

#### I SHALL FIND TIME

I shall attend to my little rounds of love Early this year, So that the brief days before Christmas may be Unhampered and clear Of the fever of hurry. The breathless rushing that I Have known in the past Shall not possess me. I shall be calm in my soul And ready at last For Christmas: "The Mass of the Christ" I shall kneel And call out His name; I shall take time to watch the beautiful light Of a candle's flame; I shall have leisure I shall go out alone From my roof and my door; I shall not miss the silver silence of stars As I have before; And Oh, perhaps - If I stand very still, And very long -I shall hear what the clamor of living has kept from

Bessie Featherby

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# 20 Shopping Days Until Christmas

From now until December 25th, advertisers the world over will keep their prospective customers advised daily of the exact number of days remaining in which to cash their Christmas checks and select those remembrances to be given in commemoration of God's gift to mankind 1938 years ago.

During this period, we mortals enjoy our annual panic. As the relentless "march of time" narrows the period until Christmas, and rising prices "manufactured for the holiday trade" add to our perplexity, we cast about, feverishly, to locate an appropriate token with which to remember those we love.

The above-mentioned advertisers are eager to ease the thorny pathway of the tired mas shopper and, to that end, publish suggestion lists of articles they offer for sale. That they supply, in this manner, a real public need can scarcely be denied.

We, who are cooperatively minded, also submit our suggestion list of one item which we recommend as the ideal Christmas gift. It is one which does not increase in price "for the holidays", tarnish in the Spring, or wear out with the years. It is the gift of an investment in the future of Greenbelt. We know of no better gift we can bestow on the members of our family than that of a MEMBERSHIP IN OUR CO-OPERATIVE. Such a gift will be of permanent value both to our family and our neighbors. Certainly, no gift could be more appropriate during this season of good will towards men.

G. A. W.

#### Forgotten Greenbelters

Fifteen boys got together last Wednesday night and formed a club. It wasn't just another organization; in effect it represented the first attempt for social outlet of one whole section of our town. Its name is the Junior Athletic Club.

Elsewhere in this paper one of our columnists has taken up cudgels for the juniors. Editorially

we have this to say:

Until now nothing has been done for the recreational needs of the youth of Greenbelt, specifically those in the middle !teens. As we see it something should have been done long ago. Particularly since this town recognizes the importance of recreation to the extent of subsidizing two functionaries for the purpose.

This omission can be rectified in short order if the proper people realize that there has been an omission, if all adults in general cooperate as they may. The juniors need a place to meet and sports facilities, immediately. They should be helped to go further, to establish a genuine center for social expression.

The value of such an outlet for the restless energy of youth is sufficiently obvious.

A. C.

A.F. OF L. OUTLINES PROGRAM TO MEET NEW ECONOMIC CRISIS Trade Unions, Consumer Cooperatives

And National Planning Urged (Co-op League News Service)

Washington, D.C. - The Monthly Survey of Business of the American Federation of Labor for November, 1938, declares "American industry is today coming to grips with a problem which has never been faced squarely. The new industrial revolution which took place with the coming of electric power and highly productive machinery has, without our realizing it, shaken the very foundations of our economic order.

"The captains of industry created mass production, but they could not build up a mass market able to absorb the production of high powered industrial plants", the A.F. of L. survey points out. This situation has led to the creation of idle factories, idle men and idle money which automatically create starvation incomes for the masses of American workingmen.

The A.F. of L. bulletin outlines the following

"The first step: Trade union organization throughout industry and a steady and rapid increase

in wages.

"Secondly, we need to think of ourselves as consumers. The consumer is the key man of the power age. His buying power is the gold mine out of which resources for industrial growth must come. Consumers cooperatives are already performing an essential function in controlling quality and price for farmers and for some trade union members. Their growth is the second measure for increasing buying power."

It proposes a commission composed of representatives of owners, management and labor concerned in production and distribution, consumers, and government representatives, and served by technicians to work out methods of planned production and mass

distribution.

SHOES FOR VARIETY STORE

To the Editor:

The question of shoes for sale in the Greenbelt Variety store is receiving attention at the hands of Mr. Herbert E. Evans, Manager of the Greenbelt Consumer Services. Several samples of shoes are now undergoing tests by Consumers Union technical laboratories, and the results, when available will determine the line of shoes to be sold here.

The following facts are at present divulged. Experts do not recommend stocking shoes at the present time. There is no volume to warrant the carrying of style shoes. If a good, sturdy play shoe can be found, with sharkskin tip (very necessary for longer wear) at a reasonable price, children's shoes can be stocked at once.

Robert Jacobsen, Assistant Manager.

THERE BE A SANTY CLAUS. AFTER ALL.

To the Editor:

Just suppose that you are a business man, looking for a promising enterprise in which to invest your time and money profitably. Suppose some modern Santa Claus comes along and offers to give you 1-an absolute monopoly of all the business in an up-to-date community of over 3,000 including 900 wage earners; 2-A lease on modern well-equipped buildings, on a percentage of profits basis, especially constructed to fit the business needs of the community; 3-A going concern, adequately financed, and already over the obstacles of promotion, organization, and a hundred other hazards and trials of every embryonic business enterprise; 4-Supervisory and managerial services by technical and professional experts, with all the advantages ordinarily obtained by chain stores from their home offices, in merchandising, etc., and more, until we are capable of operating on our own power; 5-And a perfect opportunity to demonstrate to the world the practicability of economic democracy.

Would you accept Santa Claus's offer as a Xmas

present?

Just such an offer has been submitted to us by a dual Santa, composed of C.D.C. and Uncle Sam. 200 of us have already accepted it. If everyone in Greenbelt believes in Santa Claus, and we can hardly doubt it by now, we will all accept this offer by subscribing for shares in the proposed Greenbelt Co-op, before Xmas. Who says there is no Santa Claus?

G. L. Allred

THE GREENBELT CHAPEL

To the Editor:

On Nov. 11, I wrote regarding a "House of Worship" for Greenbelt, and for the benefit of our Citizens and our children.

The question may possibly arise: Who is this person writing us about this Chapel, suggesting to us what to do, advising us? We have our Minister and our Priest, why not let them take this matter up?

I want to set your minds at ease and clear on my ideas on this movement. I am a layman, just as you all are. I am not a religious fanatic. I need this House of Worship as much, if not more, than most of you. I am looking for no favors from political, fraternal or civic societies. My one ambition before God is, that a House of Worship be built for His Glory, for our good and as an example for our children. These things having been made clear we can proceed.

True enough, we have our Minister and our Priest, they will minister to our Spiritual needs under the crude conditions as best they can and will perform their duties faithfully, but can they read our minds? If we meet as suggested, and express our opinions, then they have something tangible to work on.

A Chapel for Greenbelt citizens, can be built under the same conditions as on other Government Reservations. These are usually created, maintained and owned by the Government. The only difference for Greenbelt would be that we would support our own Minister or Priest, and furnish the necessary accourremments for the performance of our religious rites. I have a rough draft for such a plan.

A chapel as suggested would be built purely on an experimental basis and it "can be built" if met as I said before in a truly Christian Spirit. There should be no Vigilante Committee to make and vote on questions that should be discussed in a Christian Spirit and before such action should be taken, much sincere and deep thought should be given. I really believe in Greenbelt and its citizens and I believe they will respond and meet the situation in

a truly God-fearing way believing that if it is His will, such a place will be forthcoming after we meet it without bigotry or narrowness but for His Glory.

I will await the verdict of you, fellow citizens, "It can be done."

Harry W. Ribbons

# For December Frozen EGG NOG

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# Sports Sputterings By Cliff Cockill

There's a lot of talk going round and about these days to the effect that professional football is fixed, faked and fishy ..... We'll admit there are plenty of reasons to cause one to question the virtues of the Maras, Marshalls, and Rooneys but we doubt whether these pro football bigwigs are foolish enough to nip in the bud a game that has such a promising future......We think all this talk is the result of a bunch of swivel chair quarterbacks reeling from too many headache powders......Incidentally. I wonder what these swivel chair boys will use as a tongue exerciser after the football season will be made happy when they no longer have to put up with football forecasts, football broadcasts and football repasts ..... Some of the boys are getting rough in the local basketball league.....



We may uncover a white hope here in Greenbelt yet ... ...... suggest that the Athletic Club incorporate into its by-laws a rule making a member guilty of slugging, kicking, gouging or biting another member in a club sponsored activity, punishable by a fine... ......Let's keep it clean......Fighting is bad on the eyes ..... Another suggestion to the Athletic Club: ...... There are in Greenbelt about half a dozen boys who have graduated from high school who would like to become members of the Athletic Club but do not qualify because of the Club age requirement. Why not lower the age limit to 18, instead of 2las it is now? However, this should only apply to boys out of school who miss out on the school's athletic programs......Some of these boys will fit in very nicely on the Club's various representative teams.....Looks like J Block has another winner - Joliet is going to be hard to stop in the basketball league - Isn't there anything that J Block isn't good at? How are you at "jacks" and "drop the handkerchief"?

#### BASKET BALL LEAGUE

The eight teams of the Greenbelt Basketball League swung into action again last Friday night for the fourth round of competition.

The first game, between Joliet and Columbia, was won by Joliet by the score of 32 to 13. The Columbia boys put up a good fight but the final score tells the story. The Joliet team's additional height is what stymied Columbia. In this game Chapman of Joliet was high man with a total of 10 points. This was Joliet's fourth straight win, against no defeats, and they are going strong.

In the second game, Juniata took the floor against Brown, neither one having won a game so far. Brown took undisputed possession of the cellar by dropping this game by the score of 44 to 25. The first half of this game was well contested, the half ending with Juniata only leading 18 to 15, but with no substitutions on hand Brown tired in the second half and Juniata just ran the score up as they pleased. High scoring honors went to Goldfadden of Juniata who garnered 16 points.

The third game brought together two undefeated teams, Eton and Bucknell. After a well fought rough and ready game, the final score read Eton 40, Bucknell 27. The scoring by the Eton boys was well distributed, but Boote of Bucknell pulled down the honors for the night by personally scoring 21 of his teams 27 points. Another Boote on Bucknell's team and they just couldn't be beaten. An accident marred this game though, as Sanders of Bucknell was carried off the floor in the last quarter after spraining his ankle quite badly.

In the final game Carnegie ran roughshod over Dartmouth, beating them by the score of 44 to 24. Carnegie scored at will, and after the third quarter it ceased to be an interesting game. Cain of Carnegie was high man in this contest, sinking 8 baskets and one foul for a total of 17 points.

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	STANDING	OF THE	TEAMS
TEAM	WON	LOST	P. C.
Joliet	4	0	1.000
Eton	4	0	1.000
Bucknell	3	1	.750
Carnegie	2	2	.500
Columbia	1	3	.250
Dartmouth	1	3	.250
Juniata	1	3	.250
Brown	0	4	.000

	TEN INDIV	IDUAL H	IGH SCORE	RS	
NAME	TEAM	GAMES	GOALS	FOULS	POINTS
Boote	Bucknell	4	27	1	55
Sidwell	Eton	4	21	5	47
Wurl	Columbia	4	19	4	42
Cockill	Dartmouth	4	16	5	37
Goldfadden	Juniata	2	14	1	29
Donahue	Eton	4	14	1	29
Giersch	Carnegie	4	14	0	28
Cain	Carnegie	4	13	2	28
Taylor	Joliet	4	13	1	27
Barker	Joliet	4	11	1	23

Mr. and Mrs. A. Helfand, of 50-E Crescent Road, are to be visited this week by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair Burns, who are on their honeymoon. After spending a few days in Greenbelt, the newlyweds will tour the southern states before returning to their home in New York.

# SPORTS

J BLOCK TOUCHERS WALLOP D - 42-0

A supposedly shifty D Block touch football team that turned out to be a shiftless one were dealt a severe lacing by a superior J Block aggregation in Greenbelt's Thanksgiving day football classic by the count of 42-0. We might offer as a consoling fact to the D Blockers that stuff about a good big man being better than a good little man, only we are afraid some wise guy will come forward and question our right to use the word good before little.

Goldfadden, Taylor, Barker, Holochwost, Messner, Gebhart, Devoe and Widger excelled for the winners.

#### WITH THE MAPLE SPLITTERS

Again it was Bob Temple who stole the show, this time with a 382 set, one pin short of his record in the Greenbelt Duckpin Bowling League, his game being 124, 129 and 130. This enabled him to add one point to his already high average of 117.

Closely trailing him in a bang-up performance was our old pace-setter Fred DeJager. His games were 108, 114 and 126, for a 348 set. Next in order were the nice games tossed by MacEwen of the Beavers and Brown of the Drakes, their sets 340 and 332 respectively.

The Beavers and Drakes both tightened their hold on first place by taking the three-game set from their opponents, while the Cardinals dropped out of the triple first-place tie by losing two games to the Cobras.

The following is the standing of the League:

			WON	LOST
1.	Beavers		21	9
2.	Drakes		21	9
3.	Cardinals		19	11
4.	Cobras		16	14
5.	Alligators		14	16
6.	Bears		12	18
7.	Jeeps		9	21
8.	Eagles		8	22
	Hi Team Set	Beavers	1,	573
	Hi Team Game	Beavers		564
	Hi. Ind. Set	Temple		383
	Hi. Ind. Game	MacEwen		142
	Hi. Ind. Strikes	Temple		16
	Hi. Ind. Spares	Temple		80
	Hi. Ind. Average	Temple	118	3.14

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#### COUNTY NEWS

Scouters Training course inaugurated by University of Maryland. Courses offered in Troop Programs. 33 enrolled from Prince Georges County.

Three diphtheria carriers found in Lincoln colored school during October —— five in first grade at Capitol Heights --- revealed County Health Officer A. B. Hooton. All were isolated.

Auto inspection in Maryland begun. 1,300 garages authorized as official inspection stations. Auto drivers must show slips certifying car is free of mechanical defects before new license can be obtained.

Chief Wallace Mabee to speak at county gathering at Berwyn Heights Fire House, Friday, November 25.

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BETTER BUYERS CLUB GUESTS OF UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND STUDY GROUP

The Better Buyers Club enjoyed a very pleasant evening on November 21 when they were entertained by the Consumers Study Group of College Park. This group is affiliated with the American Association of

University Women.

After the business session the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Paul Roller who gave a most interesting interpretation of the New Food and Drug Act. She brought out the parts of the Act which had been revised to protect the consumer and the deficiencies which were due to the pressure of manufacturers at the time it was before Congress. A talk about Surgical Supplies and Candy was given by Mrs. Gordon Prange. Mrs. J. Ruhlin explained some of the harmful effects from the use of Sinus preparations and cosmetics.

Miss Hoffman's play, "Labels, Not Fables" which was given in Greenbelt some time ago was presented as a surprise to the author. The cast consisted of about fifteen women who seemed to enjoy being the grocery buggy, peas, olives, bread, roast beef and

other items.

"Pity the Poor Consumer" a tragedy, a la Rube Goldberg brought to a close the evening's program. This original skit was filled with action and was so thoroughly enjoyed by the audience that the cast was asked to repeat it.

During refreshments of doughnuts and cider the women from Greenbelt metmany of these keen and alert members in the College Park Branch of the Consumers

Study Group.

#### PERSONALITY GROUP

The last meeting of the Personality Group was addressed by Mrs. Wallace Mabee who gave a very comprehensive and informative talk on "Interior Decorating". Mrs. Mabee enlarged upon the four basic principles of home decorating, stressing harmony, proportion, balance and rythm as essentials in creating beauty and livability in a home as well as comfort. Mrs. Mary L. Willis rendered the very beautiful reading "Voice of the Room" - a colonial period poem of rare charm. After this, tea was served and an animated discussion followed.

Next Thursday, December 1st, Mr. Arthur Clarendon Smith, prominent in civic and welfare organizations in Washington will be the guest of the Personality Group which will meet at 2:30 P.M. at Mrs. Willist, 38-E Crescent Road.

CAKE SALE IN FOOD STORE, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3.
Boy Scout Mothers to Furnish Greenbelters
With the Pastry Future Husbands Will Be
asking for as the

"Cake Mother Used to Make".

On Saturday, December 3rd, the Boy Scout Mothers will have a Cake Sale in the Food Store. Mrs. Emmett H. Nanna, President of the Scout Mothers has appointed Mrs. Robert C. Porter and Mrs. Thomas R. Freeman on the Committee.

Contributions and orders should come in early, although both are acceptable until the last pie has been baked and sold.

Here's a chance for Greenbelt Husbands who always find their wives away at meal time to get some homemade baked goods for a change.

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l pkg. lime jello l c. hot water l c. pineapple juice

1 c. crushed pineapple 1/4 t. mint flavoring

Dissolve jello in hot water, add pineapple juice and flavoring. When mixture begins to thicken, add pineapple. Mold. Serve on lettuce leaf.

BANANA BREAD

1/2 c. butter 3 crushed bananas 1 c. sugar 2 c. bread flour 2 eggs 2 t. baking powder 1/4 c. nuts 1/2 t. soda

Cream butter and sugar, add beaten eggs and then flour, soda and baking powder, sifted together. Add bananas and nuts. Mix. Place in a greased bread pan and bake in moderately hot oven 350F 30 minutes.

M. B.

"I HAVE SOME CLOTHES TO BRING UP TO YOU"

That is welcome news to members of the Clothing and Toy Exchange. Since the last notice in the COOPERATOR we have had good response from both sides. We thank all of you who have contributed to our supply, and all of you who have made use of these contributions.

We are proud people in Greenbelt - and why not? We are the Select, the Chosen People of a Model Community. But pride does not help a budget when an illness involving long hospital care, or other unforseen calamity stretches it past the breaking point. It is then that Father must make his worn shoes wear several months longer - that his suit must not be retired even if it does get wispy around the cuffs. Mother must put off getting the things she needs for herself. She must abide by the old New England maxim, "Eat it up, wear it out, make it do, and do without", until she may even reach the point where she can't go to town to buy clothes, because she hasn't the clothes to go to town. The children - well, they will grow in spite of budgets and bills, and sleeves don't stretch much more than a dollar does. And shoes just can't be made to last as long as Dad's.

We aren't "needy" people in Greenbelt. But we can all use more things than we have, and when the clothes and other articles that accumulate in the backs of spacious Greenbelt closets and attics are brought out and put to use again, money can go for other things without too many white hairs resulting. With these things in mind, it is hoped that Greenbeltians will go hunting, that the catch may be exchanged not for, but BEFORE Christmas, and the way opened for a happier day in Greenbelt.

Dorothy H. Custer

#### The Younger Set

TONI LARMORE

We had a grand new experience Sunday. We went skating for the first time. No, we were not on top of the skates - we were in front of them in our Taylor Tot. Our aunt pushed us while she skated. Mother accompanied us but she is not an expert so we wouldn't let her push us.

And guess who we met - little Alice and Marie O' Flaherty taking their Sunday stroll. Marie is now the proud possessor of a stream-lined marcon and i-vory tricycle which she rides with great dignity. It was a gift on her third birthday. Alice is now nine months old. She has 2 teeth and has great fun standing up in her play-pen.

We also saw Johnny Degnan, who now has 5 teeth. He will be 11 months old November 18. Johnny's fayorite time of the day is his bath hour. He is trying to set a record on how far he can splash the water. It is just too bad if anyone gets in the way .

Paul Atwood Roberts has been walking a month. He quite astonished his mother and father at the supper table last week by suddenly saying "hot dog". Perhaps he was ordering for the Army-Navy football game. Paul will be 15 months old November 24th.

Among the recent visitors to Greenbelt was Mark Greenwald's aunt from Washington. Mark, 72 months old, enjoyed her visit very much.

Blue-eyed, 10 week old Elizabeth Ann Blandford is blessed with a little curl in the middle of her forehead. You know, someday we're going to visit a few of these curley haired little girls in the middle of the night and do some snipping. Then we can sew the curls on our head and have a permanent wave. But to get back to Elizabeth. She just discovered she can hold her feet up in the air, and she loves to ride on her daddy's shoulder.

Give Tommy Uhrinah a ball and he will be happy. Tommy is 13 months old now. He started walking at 122 months. Among the words in his vocabulary are

"ma-ma" and "milk".

COURSE FOR COOP MANAGERS TO BE GIVEN

In order to meet the pressing need for cooperative store managers, a course preparing students for work in that field will be given by the Rochdale Institute and the Eastern Cooperative Wholesale in New York City. Students who wish to enroll will work and study for 12 weeks beginning January 9, 1939. Only 15 students will be admitted and these must have had six months work in a retail grocery store, preferably a cooperative one.

If there are young people in Greenbelt who wish to know more about the course they may receive additional information at the Greenbelt Consumer Ser-

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Then again, if you would like to know more about our local stores, we need a Store reporter. Duties: To interview Mr. Jacobsen each Saturday, get to know "the inside dope" about your stores, write up the

news about them - and there is plenty.

And then the Greenbelt Citizens Association does a great many useful things that few of our citizens know about. If you would like to do your bit to help the G. C. A., and help the Cooperator, and incidentally help Greenbelt, why not be our G.C.A. reporter?

Or pick your own activity. Nothing helps a worthwhile movement so much as a little publicity. If you want to help a club, a group or organization, and you want Greenbelters to know what Greenbelt is doing, why not be the Cooperator reporter on the subject. Just telephone Greenbelt 3131. The Cooperator staff will welcome you.

NEW PAMPHLET ON "COOPERATIVE MEDICINE" AVAILABLE

A new pamphlet entitled "Cooperative Medicine" by Dr. James P. Warbasse, pioneer in the field, describes in detail the principles and methods of operation of cooperative health associations.

A copy of this 35-page pamphlet is now available for 15¢ from the Cooperative League, 167 W. 12th

Street, New York, N. Y.

#### GREENBELT PATIENTS

Raymond J. Hake, of 13-G Parkway, was operated upon last Friday for appendicitis at Emergency Hospital in Washington. Dr. Charles Stanley White performed the operation. Mr. Hake is rapidly improving.

Lester Sanders, of 11-C Ridge Road, suffered a severely sprained ankle while playing basketball at the Greenbelt gym last Friday night.

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GARDEN CLUB NOTES

Geraniums from Gardenway, coleus from Crescent Road, sansevieria from Parkway, and a wide variety of other decorative house plants, topped in size by Dr. Treiman's giant begonia, deserted their perches on Greenbelt window sills and came en masse to the Garden Club meeting on Monday evening, November 21, to display their beauty and charm. Dr. J. B. S. Norton, botanist from the University of Maryland, and guest speaker, prescribed a proper diet for them and gave many valuable pointers regarding their care. He demonstrated how plants should be potted, and described the ideal conditions under which they could expect to enjoy good health and long life.

"Greenbelt houses" said Dr. Norton, "have an advantage that many lack. Here there are no gas fumes which, in many cases, tend to kill house plants".

Not to be outdone by their indoor cousins, husky cabbages, radishes, and rutabagas emerged from the vegetable gardens of Dr. Dodson and Mr. Doane, to prove to some fifty assembled gardeners that there is a marked difference between "properly raised" and "just growed".

NOTICE

Individuals or organizations who have ideas they would like to see incorporated in the proposed Community Building, if and when it is built, should present these ideas to the Community Manager, or to one of his assistants as soon as possible, as preliminary plens for the building are now being drawn up.

CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT
The Citizens' Association announces a dance to be
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Subscribers 261
Shares 304
Shares fully paid up 31
Dwelling Units Represented 223
Amount Deposited in Bank \$615

#### BRIDGE NEWS

The Duplicate Bridge Club held its weekly meeting November 22 in the Social room of the School.

The first round of the tournament was played with no one getting an appreciable advantage. Mr. and Mrs. Wofsey walked right off with high score for North and South and Mr. Lieberman repeated again this week, with Mr. Gray as his partner, playing East and West.

This opportunity is taken of saying it is not the purpose to place too much emphasis on the tournament now in progress or on the weekly prizes. The Club is organized primerily to provide the time and place where bridge lovers can meet and play with a view to mastering the finer points of the game. Practically all of the funds taken in so far have gone for equipment. The equipment is just about paid for and in the very near future a nominal sum will be all that each one who wants to play bridge will have to pay.

Don't forget - "Bridge Lessons" every Tuesday evening at seven-thirty.

NATIONAL COOPERATIVES SETS UP CORPORATION TO PROTECT CO-OP LABEL

Chicago - National Cooperatives, a federation of regional consumers cooperative purchasing associations, took action here November 9 and 10 to set up a subsidiary corporation to further protect the CO-OP trade name which is owned by members of National Cooperatives. During the last year several large private profit business organizations have featured the word CO-OP in their national advertising attempting to take advantage of the great interest in the cooperative movement.

Greenbelt Pennsylvanians will meet Monday, December 5th, in an effort to organize a Penn. State Society. All Greenbelters who claim Pennsylvania as their home state are urged to attend the meeting.

LOST

In vicinity of A Block Boy Scout knife. Will finder please communicate with Douglas Warner, 13-H Ridge Road. Phone 4906.

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#### COMMUNITY MOURNS PASSING OF INFANT

On Monday, November 21, 1938, Michael Henry Koval, 14-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Koval, of 23-E Ridge Road, passed away, from pneumonia.

Funeral services were conducted at his home and burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery in Washington Wednesday, November 23rd.

#### SYMPATHY ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Koval and family gratefully, and with sincerest appreciation acknowledge the sympathy and kindness bestowed upon us in our bereavement.

To Mr. Braden, Mr. Mabee, Mr. MacGregor, Mr.Panagoulis and Mr. Huffman for the services that they offered.

To the neighbors of our block, the finest we have ever had, for the help that they gave to us in our hour of need.

To the community as a whole for the heartfelt sympathy they had in their hearts for us, many of whom have never seen us.

To Miss Garrett our nurse who in her own way offered her blessing to us.

To Doctor Christensen who would keep us writing the rest of our days, telling about the things he had done and the many thoughts he had for us. He did everything in his power to save our little Son.

#### GREENBELT RADIO CLUB

The last meeting of the club was held in the usual meeting room, and was run off with a short session of code. The small showing did not warrant the theory class, which was omitted.

Two new young members were admitted, Billy Schoeb and Earl Morgan, whom Blake took in hand, and soon had eating dit-dah with the rest of the gang. Swell stuff, Charlie.

The members present decided to find out whether it was dues which was curtailing attendance, and called for a business meeting at the next get-together to call for a reduction of dues, and the substitution of raffles, dances, and other means for funds to run the club. All interested are asked to attend and chip in with ideas.

The hopes for the use of a classroom in the night school have gone glimmering temporarily, but the club will attempt to get the required space for the classes in theory which require blackboard space for explanations and wiring diagrams.

#### A PUBLIC APPEAL

There is some individual in Greenbelt who is experimenting, or working with electrical equipment, and is causing considerable radio interference, especially in A Block.

If this individual has been unaware of the havoc caused, he is put on notice, and requested to remedy the situation.

If the experimenter cannot locate his difficulty the Greenbelt Radio Club will be pleased, in the interests of the community, to assist in overcoming the difficulty without charge, question, or embarrassment.

It is desired to point out, however, that should the desired cooperation not be forthcoming, that the Club will use its available equipment to trace the person or persons involved and turn them over to the authorities for action.

All citizens finding reception difficulties due to interference, are asked to notify the Club so as to aid in localizing the source. Address Geo. Bradford, Treasurer, 33-E Ridge Road.

A last word to citizens. Users of electric razors, mixers, operators of gas pumps, shop equipment, and battery chargers, are asked to install interference eliminator coils between the equipment and the line, so as to reduce this nuisance to a minimum.

#### CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

Chief Engineering Draftsman, \$2,600 a year, Navy Department. Applicants must not have passed their 53rd birthday.

Mechanic (Fneumatic Mail Tube System), \$1,680 a year, Branch of Buildings Management, National Park Service, Dept. of the Interior, Washington, D. C. Applicants must have had experience as mechanic in the installation, or maintenance, and repair of pneumatic tube carrier systems; or as building engineman or building mechanic in the maintenance of such systems. They must not have passed their 48th birthday.

Airways Facility Specialist, \$3,800 a year, Civil Aeronautics Authority. Applicants must have had 1,000 hours of solo flying plus certain experience in the operations division of an air carrier. A valid pilot's certificate of competency is also required. Applicants must not have passed their 50th birthday.

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SUNDAY

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#### The Calendar of Events

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Thursday, December 1st			
Orchestra Practice		P.M.	Music Room
Hobby Club	7:30	P.M.	Work Shop
Women's Gym		P.M.	Auditorium
Political Science	8:00	P.M.	Room 225
American Legion	8:00	P.M.	Meeting Room
Friday, December 2nd			
Credit Union	6:30-8:30	P.M.	Meeting Room
C.O.C. (collection)	6:30-8:00	P.M.	Meeting Room
Boy Scouts	7:30	P.M.	Social Room
Men's Gym		P.M.	Auditorium
Radio Club	8:00	P.M.	Cooperator
Saturday, December 3rd			
Children's Art Class		A.M.	Social Room
Children's Gym	9:00	A.M.	Auditorium
Bowling League	3:00	P.M.	Hyattsville
Girl Scout Brownie			
Pack #5	4:00	P.M.	3-b Eastway
Sunday, December 4th			
Mass	8:30	A.M.	Theater
Community Sunday School	9:00	A.M.	Auditorium
Community Church	10:45	A.M.	Auditorium
Hour of Recorded Music		P.M.	Meeting Room
Young People's Society		P.M.	Social Room
Latter Day Saints' Chur	ch 8:00	P.M.	Social Room
Monday, December 5th			
Citizen's Association	8:00	P.M.	Auditorium
Tuesday, December 6th			
Duplicate Bridge Club	7:30	P.M.	Social Room
Hobby Club	7:30	P.M.	Work Shop
Men's Gym		P.M.	Auditorium
Adult Art Class		P.M.	Rooms 223-225
Wednesday, December 7th			
Girl Scout Troop #17	3:15	P.M.	Social Room
Senior Girl Scout	7:30		2-H Gardenway
Junior Choir	8:00		Music Room
Pre-School Mothers		P.M.	Social Room
Community Choir		P.M.	Social Room
Journalistic Club Socia			Meeting Room

DOCTORS! OFFICE HOURS Dr. Thomas A. Christensen Dr. Alvin E. W. Wode

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Tuesday.....10-12; 4-6

Wednesday .... 10-12

Thursday .... 10-12; 4-6

Friday.....10-12; 4-6; 8-9 Saturday....10-12; 5-6

Sunday ...... 12- 1 by appointment

Phones:

Office, 2121

Home, Dr. Christensen, 2131 Home, Dr. Wode, 2691

#### DENTIST'S OFFICE HOURS Dr. James W. McCarl

Dr. McCarl's Office Hours are as follows:

Monday ..... 9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. Tuesday ..... 9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

7:00 - 9:30 P.M.

Wednesday .... Closed

Thursday ..... 9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

Friday ..... 9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

7:00 - 9:30 P.M.

Saturday ..... 2:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. Phones: Office 2261 Home, 2401

# Credit Union Report FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT BALANCE SHEET

Assets Loans	\$4,507.58	Liabilities Shares	\$4,647.52
Cash in banks	311.43	Reserve for	
Petty cash fund	51.00	bad loans	95.21
Unamortized		Profit &	
Charter fee	25.00	loss	106.28
TOTAL	\$ 4,849.01		\$4,849.01

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

STATEMENT OF INCOME A	AND EXPENSE	
EXPENSES		
	This month	This year
		to date
Stationery and Supplies	•90	\$ 59.82
Advertising		2.75
Communications	.99	5.72
Bank service sharges	1.20	6.90
Misc. general		5.50
Insurance premiums	6.03	31.77
Trans, to reserve for bad loans	s 14.21	95.21
Balance (Profi		106.28
TOTAL	\$52.18	\$313.95
INCOME		
Interest on loans	\$36.97	\$217.49
Entrance Fees	7.75	77.75
Fines	6.46	17.46
Cash over & short	1.00	1.25
TOTAL	\$52.18	\$313.95
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	27	87 745 00
Made this month	61	\$1,345.00
Repaid this month	770	749.85
In force at end of month	118 n 153	4,507.58
Total loaned since organization		7,904.00
Loans delinquent	31	284.52
(A) One month or less	21	194.75
(B) One to two months	7	55.39 34.38
(C) Two months or over	3	34.30
SHARES AND ME	MREES	
Paid in on shares this month	HIDIMO	\$ 679.35
Withdrawn on shares this month		263.25
Total paid since organization		6,088.17
Total withdrawn since organiza	tion	1,440.65
New members this month	V V. L	No. 31
Total members end of month		No. 284
Total members since organizati	on	No. 300
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NATIONAL UNIFICATION OF ALL U.S. CONSUMERS' COOPERATIVES (Co-op League News Service)

Chicago - A national economic union of all regional consumers' cooperatives loomed large on the horizon today following consecutive meetings here of the national boards of directors of National Cooperatives, Inc. and The Cooperative League of the U.S.A. November 9, 10 and 11.

The directors of the two national organizations accepted in principle a policy of coordination looking toward uniting all regional consumers cooperative purchasing associations in the United States and set up machinery to work out the initial steps involved.

As practical steps in carrying out coordination, the board of directors of the Cooperative League (1) voted to open an office in Chicago and accepted the invitation of National Cooperatives to maintain joint offices; (2) voted to put into effect, as of January 1, a dues basis of 5¢ per individual member per year in order to finance broader publicity, education, legislation and other functions as outlined; and (3) voted to extend invitations along with similar invitations from National Cooperatives, to a number of additional regional cooperatives which have already indicated their desire to go along on a united national program.

The executive committees of The League and National Cooperatives will meet in Chicago, December 9 to consider the site of joint offices, personnel and applications for membership. The Board of The League further decided to meet once every three months to coincide with the quarterly meetings of

the board of National Cooperatives.



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REVIVALS ARE SUCCESS

Robert Buchele, theater manager, announced yesterday that the theater's revival program seemed destined to popularity, and had resulted in a flood of suggestions and enthusiastic box-office response.

Greenbelt movie fans have compiled a list of requests that will keep the management busy for months to come, and ranges from the horror pictures of Lon Chaney and the dramatic triumph of Marie Dressler up to the recent historical successes of Paul Muni and Walt Disney's immortal Three Little Pigs.

The revival program is based on the theory that movie-goers would rather have the opportunity once a week to see the great pictures of the past rather than be treated to a full week of current hits which would necessarily include many pictures of less merit. The response to the first two revivals, "The Good Earth" and "Adventures of Robin Hood", has been greater than the response to many of the current flicker attractions. These revivals are run Thursday nights, for one night only.

Mr. Buchele advises that one local student of the celluloid drama has submitted a list of sixty suggestions covering hits going back to 1925, while another has a hook or crook run up, a total of fifty requests for Grace Moore's "One Night of Love."

Among the films most requested are "Marco Polo", "Lost Horizon", "Tom Sawyer", "It Happened One Night", "Life of Louis Pasteur" and Mr. Deeds Goes

To Town".

Mr. Buchele pointed out further that many of the films suggested may not be available as the local exchanges do not keep complete files of their product after a few years. He said that after he has determined which are available he will post a voting list in the theater lobby and then follow as closely as possible the results of the voting.

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